



## ORGANIC SYSTEM PLAN – MUSHROOM / FUNGI PRODUCER

FARM BUSINESS NAME:	CERTIFICATION NUMBER:
ORGANIC GROWER / PRODUCER NAME:	FARM LOCATION (COUNTY/STATE):

### SECTION A. SPAWN

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☐ N/A No spawn is used on my operation. Skip to Section B.

1. Check all sources of spawn used on the mushroom operation.

☐ Propagate my own spawn

☐ Spawn companies

☐ Provided through contract

☐ Other (please specify):

2. Do you use nonorganic spawn to propagate your own organically produced spawn?

☐ Yes

☐ No

**Tip!** WSDA organic regulations require that mushroom producers use organically produced spawn (even when spawn is provided from a contract-buyer).

- ✓ Nonorganically produced spawn may be used to propagate your own organically produced spawn when organic spawn are not commercially available.
- ✓ Commercial availability is defined as “the ability to obtain a production input in an appropriate form, quality, or quantity to fulfill an essential function in a system of organic production or handling, as determined by the certifying agent in the course of reviewing the organic plan.”
- ✓ If nonorganic spawn are used to propagate your own organically produced spawn, you must maintain documentation verifying the unavailability of organic spawn.
- ✓ Contact three or more known organic suppliers and document whether organic spawn are available.
- ✓ Organic producers should ensure that they are contacting suppliers that offer organic varieties.

3. Describe your attempts to source organic spawn. Include details of the documentation you maintain to verify these attempts.

4. Describe the spawn propagation procedure, including the names of the production areas used?

**Tip!** All agricultural materials used as amendments for spawn propagation must be certified organic. Include all spawn propagation amendments in your Materials Inventory.